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NHSC Site Application Review User Guide for State PCOs

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Introduction and Resources

Document Purpose

This user manual provides an overview of the State Primary Care Office (PCO) interface in the <u>National Health Service Corps</u> (NHSC) site approval process. State PCOs have an important role in overseeing NHSC participation in their state by recommending sites for NHSC participation.

Points of contact at medical facilities (site POCs) complete the NHSC Site Application or Recertification through the Bureau of Health Workforce (BHW) Program Portal.

Important Resources

For details about NHSC site policies and site eligibility, see the NHSC Site Reference Guide.

For additional assistance, contact your state's <u>NHSC Regional Operations State Contact</u>.

Links in Plain Text

https://nhsc.hrsa.gov/sites/default/files/NHSC/nhsc-sites/nhsc-site-reference-guide.pdf

https://nhsc.hrsa.gov/nhsc-sites/contacts/regional-offices-state-contacts.html

https://nhsc.hrsa.gov/

https://programportal.hrsa.gov/extranet/landing.seam

State PCO Portal Main Page

Purpose

Provides State PCO with access to NHSC Site Application and Recertification, to Shortage Designation Management functions, and to various reports.

Instructions

• Click on Link to Site Applications Main Page to view NHSC Site Applications and Recertifications.

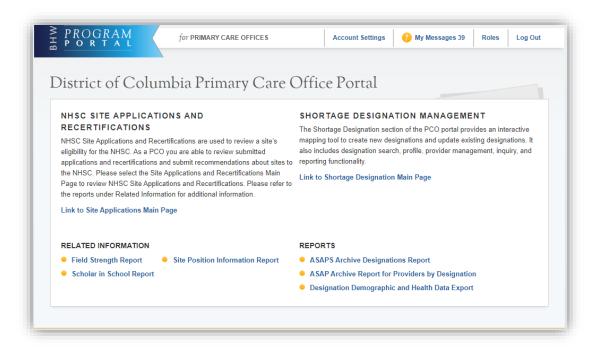


Figure 1 - State PCO Portal Main Page

Site Applications Main Page

Purpose

Provides access to NHSC Site Application and Recertifications in various places in the submission and approval process.

Instructions

- Click on any tab to view Site Application and Recertification tasks.
- Click on the task name (hyperlink) to view a specific request.

- Pending PCO Review: Tasks that are waiting for a recommendation by a State PCO. Tasks will
 leave this queue when a recommendation is submitted or after 21 days, whichever comes first.
 - **Note**: Only one PCO can work on each task at a time. Only the original PCO who opens the task can submit the recommendation.
- Initiated Application: Tasks that have been started by a Site POC, but not yet submitted for review.
- Pending DRO Review: Tasks that are waiting for NHSC Regional Operations to make a
 determination of eligibility.
- *History*: Tasks with a final status, such as approved or denied.

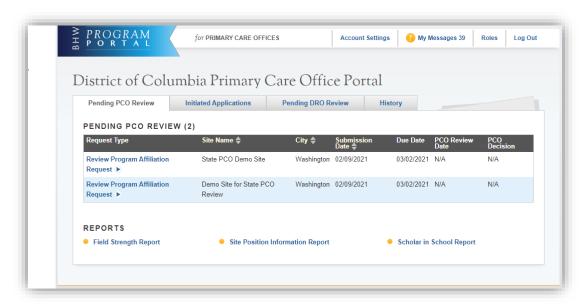


Figure 2 - Site Applications Main Page

NHSC Site Application Review

Review Page Banner and Left Navigation

Purpose

The banner at the top of a Site Application or Recertification provides basic information about the site and is visible on each page.

The left navigation menu provides access to each of the pages in the task.

- Pages that are not relevant to the site will be disabled.
 - Auto-approved sites do not complete the Behavioral Health or Payments and Insurance pages.
 - Sites that do not offer any behavioral or mental health care services do not complete the **Behavioral Health** page.



Figure 3- NHSC Site Application Review - Banner

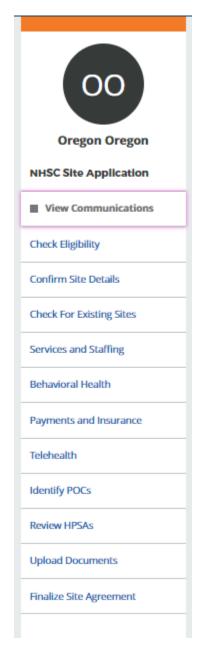


Figure 4 - NHSC Site Application Review - Left Navigation

View Communications

Purpose

Provides visibility to comments about the application.

Instructions

- Read any comments from Site POC.
- Any comments about the site's eligibility submitted with your recommendation will display in this tab.

Rules and Definitions

• Any comments about the site's eligibility submitted with State PCO's recommendation will display in this tab.

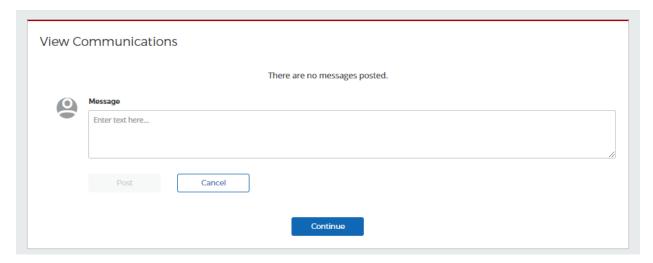


Figure 5- NHSC Site Application Review - View Communications

Check Eligibility

Purpose

Provides the site's Site Type and other basic eligibility information.

Instructions

- Review the information provided by the site.
- Any comments about the site's eligibility must be submitted with your recommendation.

Rules and Definitions

• State PCOs are not able to edit information provided by the Site POCs.

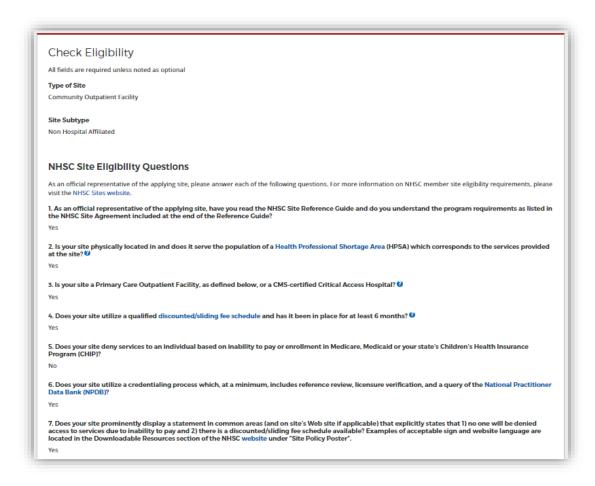


Figure 6 - NHSC Site Application Review - Check Eligibility

Confirm Site Details

Purpose

Provides the site's address, mailing address (if applicable), physical location, contact information, and unique identifiers.

Instructions

- Review the information provided by the site.
- Any comments about the site's information must be submitted with your recommendation.

Rules and Definitions

State PCOs are not able to edit information provided by the Site POCs.

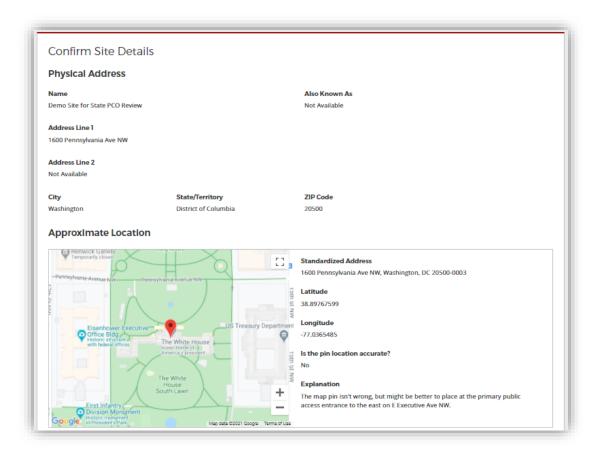


Figure 7- NHSC Site Application Review - Confirm Site Details 1

Contact Informatio	""				
Website		Email Address	Email Address		
www.whitehouse.gov		info@whitehouse.gov			
Phone Number	Ext.	Fax Number			
(202) 123-4567	Not Available	Not Available			
Location Descripto	rs				
DUNS#	BHCMIS	CCN	ASUFAC		
Not Available	Not Available	Not Available	7577101		
врнс					
BPS-H80-005221					

Figure 8- NHSC Site Application Review - Confirm Site Details 2

Similar Site(s) Found

Purpose

Provides a list of any sites that already exist in the system that may be duplicates of the site. If a site is already participating in NHSC, Nurse Corps, or other BHW programs through another site record, the request should be denied, and the site should manage their participation through the existing site record.

Instructions

- Review the list of potentially duplicate sites.
- Any comments about the site's uniqueness or duplicates must be submitted with your recommendation.

- A site may appear in the list for any of multiple reasons:
 - It is very close to the applying site
 - It is near the applying site and has a similar name
 - It is in the same state as the applying site and has a similar name
 - It shares a unique identifier with the applying site

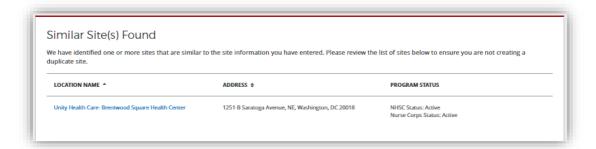


Figure 9- NHSC Site Application Review - Similar Sites Found

Services and Staffing

Purpose

Provides the services that the site reports providing and staffing levels at the site.

Instructions

- Review the information provided by the site.
- Any comments about the site's information must be submitted with your recommendation.

- Staffing numbers for the site are only visible for sites that are not an auto-approved type.
- State PCOs are not able to edit information provided by the Site POCs.

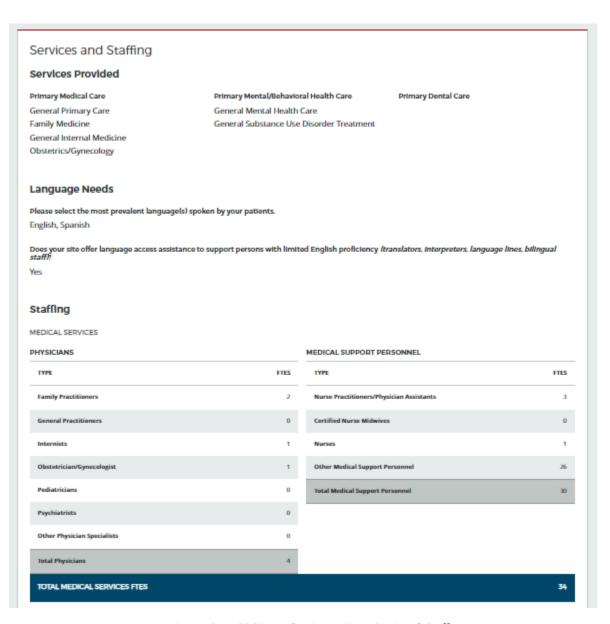


Figure 10- NHSC Site Application Review - Services & Staffing 1

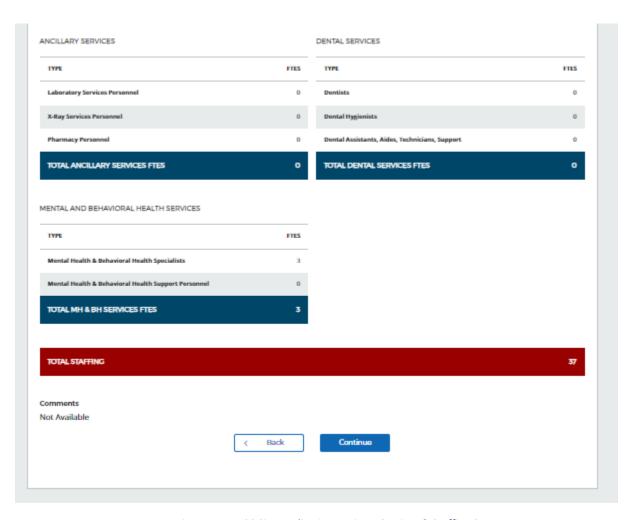


Figure 11- NHSC Site Application Review - Services & Staffing 2

Behavioral Health

Purpose

Provides additional information about services provided at the site or by affiliates.

Instructions

- Review the information provided by the site.
- Any documents provided by the site can be opened and reviewed.
- Any comments about the site's information must be submitted with your recommendation.

- The *Behavioral Health* page will only be enabled for sites that are not an auto-approved type AND selected one or more behavioral or mental health services.
- State PCOs are not able to edit information provided by the Site POCs.

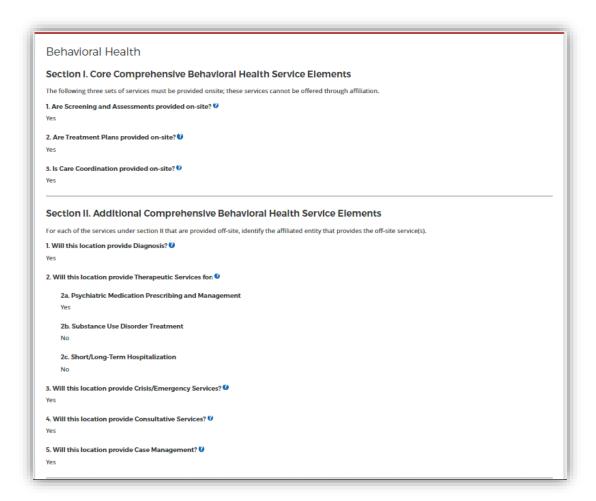


Figure 12 - NHSC Site Application Review - Behavioral Health 1

Section III. Certification of Compliance with Behavioral Health Clinical Practice Requirements Behavioral Health Certify that the behavioral health site adheres to the clinical practice requirements for behavioral health providers under the NHSC and supports NHSC participants in meeting their obligation related to the clinical practice requirements. 1. This location offers employment opportunities that are Full-Time? ${\it G}$ 2. This location offers employment opportunities that are Part-Time 😈 Section IV. Additional Comprehensive Behavioral Health Science Elements ADDRESS REGARDLESS OF PAYMENT? AFFILIATION DATE SERVICES COVERED Supporting Facility 1000 Constitution Ave, Washington, DC • Substance Use Disorder Treatment 20500 • Shortleng-term Hospitalization 01/01/2010 Section V. Upload Documents DOCUMENT TYPE \$ FILE NAME \$ DATE UPLOADED + COMMENT Agreement with our long-time partner facility that provides certain services. Formal Affiliation Agreement Text Document.txt 02/09/2021; 14:53:00

Figure 13 - NHSC Site Application Review - Behavioral Health 2

Payments and Insurance

Purpose

Provides additional information about types of insurance accepted, numbers of patients and/or patient visits in each type, and any related documentation.

Instructions

- Review the information provided by the site.
- Any documents provided by the site can be opened and reviewed.
- Any comments about the site's information must be submitted with your recommendation.

- The *Payments and Insurance* page will only be enabled for sites that are not an auto-approved type.
- State PCOs are not able to edit information provided by the Site POCs.

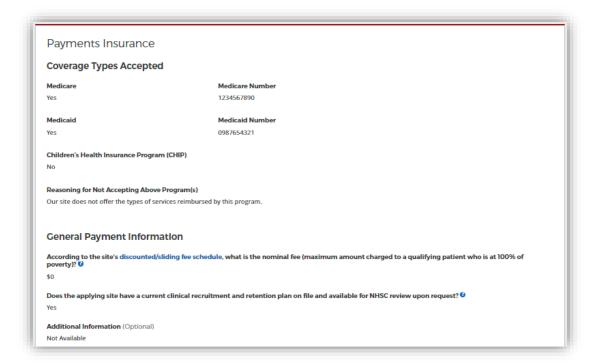


Figure 14 - NHSC Site Application Review - Payments & Insurance 1

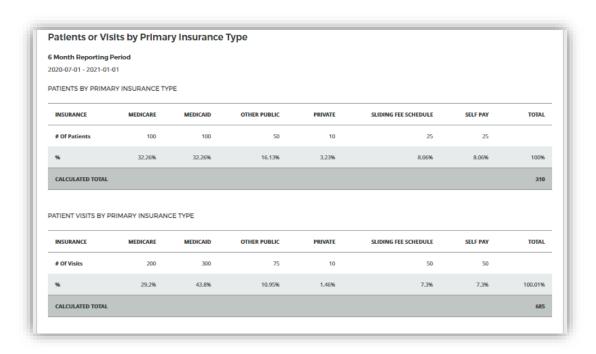


Figure 15 - NHSC Site Application Review - Payments & Insurance 2

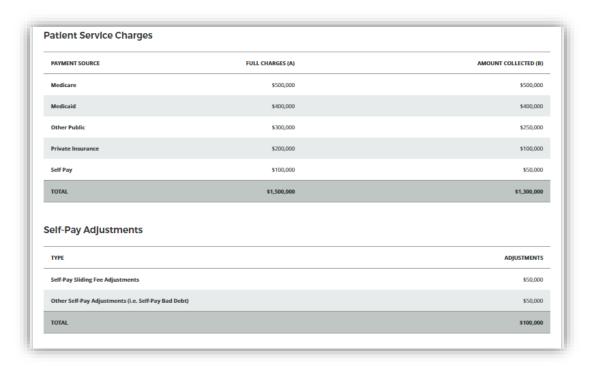


Figure 16 - NHSC Site Application Review - Payments & Insurance 3

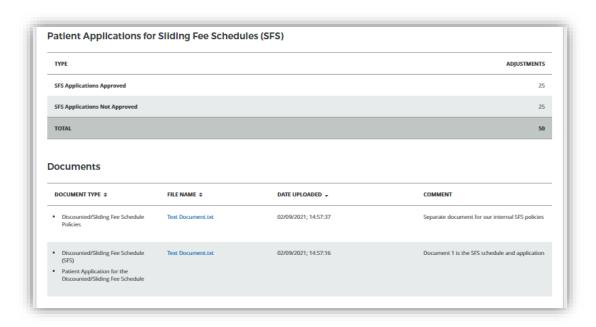


Figure 17 - NHSC Site Application Review - Payments & Insurance 4

Telehealth

Purpose

Provides information about any telehealth capabilities of the site.

Instructions

- Review the information provided by the site.
- Any comments about the site's information must be submitted with your recommendation.

Rules and Definitions

State PCOs are not able to edit information provided by the Site POCs.

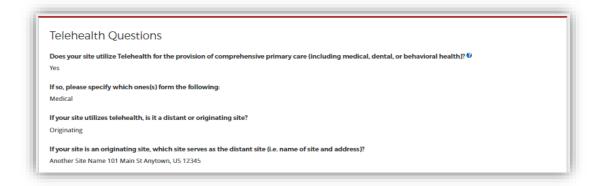


Figure 18 - NHSC Site Application Review - Telehealth

Identify POCs

Purpose

Provides a list of current site POCs and a list of site POCs that will be added if the task is approved by NHSC.

Instructions

- Review the information provided by the site.
- Any comments about the site's POCs must be submitted with your recommendation.

Rules and Definitions

• State PCOs are not able to add, remove, or propose site POCs.

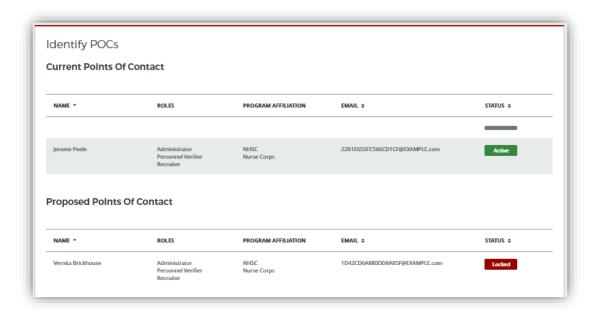


Figure 19 - NHSC Site Application Review - Identify POCs

Review HPSAs

Purpose

Provides a list of HPSAs matched to the site's information and a list suggested by the site POCs.

Instructions

- Review the identified and site-suggested HPSAs.
- Enter the HPSA IDs of any additional HPSAs that you believe are applicable to the site.
- Any comments about the HPSAs listed must be submitted with your recommendation.

Rules and Definitions

State PCOs are not able to remove HPSAs suggested by the Site POCs.

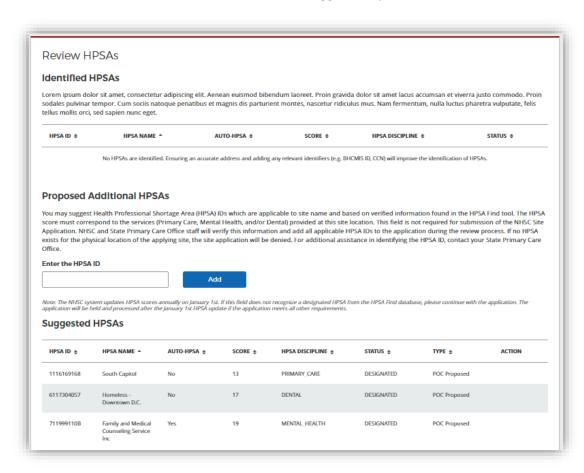


Figure 20 - NHSC Site Application Review - Review HPSAs

Upload Documents

Purpose

Provides all other documents provided by the site to support their application.

Instructions

- Review the documents provided by the site.
- Add any additional documents that you feel relevant to the site's NHSC eligibility.
- Any comments about the site's documentation must be submitted with your recommendation.

- Documents added by a State PCO can be removed up until a recommendation is submitted.
- State PCOs are not able to remove or modify documents provided by the Site POCs.

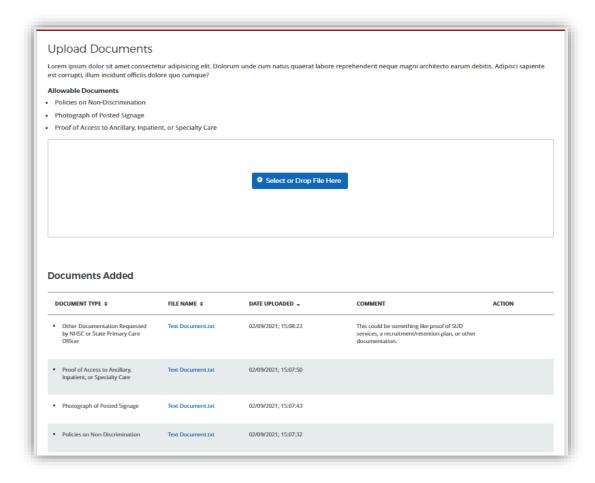


Figure 21 - NHSC Site Application Review - Upload Documents

Submit Recommendation

Purpose

Provides State PCOs with an opportunity to recommend a site for NHSC participation and to add any comments about the site.

Instructions

- Select an option to recommend or not recommend that NHSC approve site's request.
- Add any comments about the site's eligibility, about any of the information provided by the site, or other relevant information.

Rules and Definitions

• Comments added included by a State PCO are visible to NHSC Regional Operations when reviewing the Site Application. The comments are not visible to Site POCs.



Figure 22 - NHSC Site Application Review - Submit Recommendation